#### **BEFORE**

#### THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

# SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2011-223-T - ORDER NO. 2011-586

AUGUST 30, 2011

IN RE:	Application of Upward Endeavors, LLC	)	ORDER APPROVING
	d/b/a Two Men and a Truck of Greenville,	)	AMENDMENTS TO
	208 Transit Drive, Greenville, South	)	SCHEDULE OF
	Carolina to Amend Its Schedule of Charges	)	CHARGES

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the Application, filed June 1, 2011, by Upward Endeavors, LLC d/b/a Two Men and a Truck of Greenville ("Upward Endeavors" or the "Company") for amendments to the Company's current schedule of charges. Upward Endeavors requests approval to modify the Company's current hourly rates for household goods moves. The Company presently holds a Class E Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to transport household goods in South Carolina pursuant to the authority granted by Order No. 2002-219, issued March 26, 2002, in Docket No. 2002-25-T.

Upon receipt of Upward Endeavors' Application, the Commission's Clerk's Office instructed the Company to publish, one time, a Notice of Filing in newspapers of general circulation in the areas of the state affected by the Application. The purpose of the Notice of Filing was to inform interested parties of the Application of Upward Endeavors and of the manner and time in which to file the appropriate pleadings for participation in the proceeding. The Company complied with this instruction and

provided the Commission with proofs of publication of the Notice of Filing. No protests or Petitions to Intervene were received.

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS) completed a review of the proposed amended rate schedule of the Company and submitted its findings to the Commission on August 8, 2011. Based on the current tariff and the actual financial results provided to ORS by the Company for the year ended December 31, 2010, ORS advises that it calculated a coverage ratio of 88.44 percent after adjustments on regulated revenue. From the data examined for the twelve months period, ORS states that the proposed tariff increase of Upward Endeavors would result in a coverage ratio of 81.86 percent and additional revenue of \$43,819.08 for the twelve months studied.

Having considered the Application and the results of the ORS study, we conclude that the amendments proposed by Upward Endeavors are just and reasonable for its customers and for the Company. Accordingly, the Application of Upward Endeavors, LLC d/b/a Two Men and a Truck of Greenville for amendments to the Company's current schedule of charges is approved as filed. The approved rates are hereby attached as an Appendix to this Order.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

John E. Howard, Chairman

ATTEST:

David A. Wright, Vice Chairman

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Upward Endeavors, LLC dba Two Men and a Truck of Greenville 208 Transit Drive, Greenville, South Carolina 29607 Certificate Number 9664-B (864) 329-1228

### SCHEDULE OF CHARGES

# Hourly Rates - Weekdays (Monday - Thursday)

- 1. Hourly rate per one mover, residential -- \$65.00/hour
- 2. Hourly rate per two movers, residential -- \$89.00/hour
- 3. Hourly rate per three movers, residential -- \$109.00/hour
- 4. Additional movers: \$20.00/hour

# Hourly Rates - Weekends (Friday, Saturday and Sunday)

- 5. Hourly rate per one mover, residential -- \$75.00/hour
- 6. Hourly rate per two movers, residential -- \$99.00/hour
- 7. Hourly rate per three movers, residential -- \$119.00/hour
- 8. Additional movers will be billed at an hourly rate of \$20.00.
- 9. Additional trucks over one will be billed at the rates set forth above.
- 10. Packing and unpacking rates are the same as the appropriate hourly rate, plus the cost of packing materials and sales tax on the materials.
- 11. Drive time is customized, except as set out in the next paragraph. The clock starts at the appropriate hourly rate when the movers leave the Two Men and a Truck office location, and the clock stops when the movers return back to the office once they have unloaded at the customer's new home.
- 12. For moves originating and terminating in the City of Spartanburg, the Company will charge the Customer for one (1) hour of time to get a) from the Two Men and a Truck

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office location to the origination of the move; and b) from the customer's new home back to the Two Men and a Truck office location.

- 13. Customers will be charged a two-hour minimum, then in fifteen-minute increments thereafter.
- 14. Customers will be charged for waiting time the same as the appropriate hourly rate.
- 15. Customers will not be charged additional fees for excessive distance, long carry charges, articles, or special serving. These charges are the same as the appropriate hourly rate.
- 16. Customer will not be charged additional fees for elevator or stair carry. The charges are the same as the appropriate hourly rate.
- 17. Spinet, console or studio pianos, along with other household goods is a flat charge of \$75.00. To move a spinet, console or studio piano alone is \$100.00 for the first hour, then charged in fifteen minute increments at appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above). The two hour minimum does apply when moving a spinet, console or studio piano alone.
- 18. Upright pianos (48 inches or taller), with other household goods is a flat charge of \$90.00. To move an upright piano alone is \$120.00 for the first hour, then charged in fifteen minute increments at appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above). The two hour minimum does apply when moving an upright piano alone.
- 19. Baby grand pianos, with other household goods, is a flat charge of \$120.00. To move a baby grand alone is \$150.00 for the first hour, then charged in fifteen minute increments at the appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above). The two hour minimum does apply when moving a baby grand piano alone.
- 20. Upright and baby grand pianos will only be moved first floor to first floor. All others will be referred to piano movers. No full size grand pianos will be moved.
- 21. A tanning bed, along with other household goods is a flat charge of \$75.00. To move a tanning bed alone is \$100.00 for the first hour, then charged in fifteen-minute increments at the appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above. The two-hour minimum does apply when moving a tanning bed alone.
- 22. Hot tubs, with other household goods, is a flat charge of \$120.00. To move a hot tub alone is \$150.00 for the first hour, then charged in fifteen minute increments at appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above). The two hour minimum does apply when moving a hot tub alone.

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- 23. Fire proof file cabinets and safes, and floor model copiers, along with other household goods; first floor to floor \$75.00. Going down one flight of stairs \$90.00. Going up a flight of stairs \$120.00. If moving these items alone, it should be \$100 the first hour.
- 24. To move a fire proof file cabinet or a safe, we charge for the first hour the appropriate rate listed in item 23, then in fifteen minute increments at the appropriate hourly rate (as set forth in items 1 through 8 above). The two hour minimum does apply when moving a fire proof cabinet or a safe alone.
- 25. Any bulky article charges not listed in lines 17-24 will be charged the same as the appropriate hourly rate.
- 26. Company reserves the right to decline, at its sole discretion, to move particular items because of their bulk or fragile nature. No slate top pool tables will be moved.
- 27. Pursuant to Commission Order No. 2008-779, the Company will charge a seven percent (7%) fuel surcharge, computed on the total regulated charges assessed to the Company's customers.

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